## Exhibit B

**Aber Declaration** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	) Chapter 11
m re.	)
JOANN INC., <sup>1</sup>	) Case No. 25-10068 (CTG)
	)
Post-Effective Date Debtor.	)
	)

## DECLARATION OF ANN ABER IN SUPPORT OF PLAN ADMINISTRATOR'S EIGHTEENTH (NON-SUBSTANTIVE) OMNIBUS OBJECTION TO CERTAIN SUPERSEDED CLAIMS

I, Ann Aber, pursuant to section 1746 of title 28 of the United States Code, hereby declare that the following is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief:

- 1. I am the Plan Administrator<sup>2</sup> appointed in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases.
- 2. Prior to the Plan's Effective Date, I was the Executive Vice President, Chief Legal & Human Resource Officer at JOANN Inc. and I worked directly with Alvarez & Marsal, North America, LLC ("A&M"), a global business advisory firm engaged by the Debtors to provide an interim chief executive officer, interim chief financial officer, and certain additional personnel in these chapter 11 cases.
- 3. I submit this declaration (the "<u>Declaration</u>") in support of the *Plan Administrator's* Eighteenth Omnibus Objection to Certain Claims (Non-Substantive) to Certain Superseded Claims (the "<u>Objection</u>"), filed contemporaneously herewith. I am over the age of 18, competent to testify and authorized to submit the Declaration as the Plan Administrator.

The Post-Effective Date Debtor in this chapter 11 case, along with the last four digits of its federal tax identification number, is: JOANN Inc. (5540). The Post-Effective Date Debtor's mailing address is 5555 Darrow Road, Hudson, Ohio 44236.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to the terms in the Objection.

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4. Every matter set forth herein is based on (a) my personal knowledge, (b) my review,

or the review of work performed by former employees of the Debtors who have been retained by

the Plan Administrator whom I oversee in a managerial capacity, of relevant documents, and/or

(c) my understanding based on information obtained from the Debtors' books and records.

5. I have read and reviewed the Objection, including the information set forth on

<u>Schedule 1</u> to the Proposed Order, and I am familiar with the information contained in those

documents.

6. To the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the information that is

contained in the Objection is true and correct.

7. I, and/or one or more individuals working for the Plan Administrator, have

reviewed the Debtors' books and records and proofs of claim listed on **Schedule 1** to the Proposed

Order, together with any supporting documentation attached thereto, made reasonable efforts to

research the Superseded Claims in the Debtors' books and records and have determined that each

claim should be disallowed and expunged or reclassified, as applicable, for the reasons and in the

manner set forth on **Schedule 1**.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my

knowledge, information and belief.

December 12, 2025

/s/ Ann Aber

Ann Aber, Solely in her Capacity as Plan

Administrator in the Chapter 11 Cases of

Joann Inc. et al.

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